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Concepts

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated August 24, 2006, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set for November 24, 2006. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.